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Does this course have CLE Commission Approval? Yes – 1 hour of General Credit

Session Description	Type of Credit Requested (General Continuing Education, General Mediation Issues, Mediation Ethics, or Family Law)	Start Time	End Time	Credit Approval (Office Use Only)
Speaker: Matthew Lyon, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs & Associate Professor of Law at LMU-Duncan School of Law	General Mediation Issues			1.0 Hour General Continuing Education
This session will review and analyze the Tennessee Supreme Court's recent opinion in <i>Berent v. CMH Homes, Inc.</i> In <i>Berent</i> , the court reconsidered the enforceability of certain types of mandatory arbitration clauses in contracts governed by Tennessee law.The opinion is an important one given the increasing prevalence of mandatory arbitration clauses, particularly in consumer agreements.				

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